



MINUTES OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS  
COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, STATE OF CALIFORNIA

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At its meeting held July 31, 2007, the Board took the following action:

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Supervisor Burke made the following statement:

“Health Centers are nonprofit, community-owned and operated health provider serving uninsured and medically underserved people in the State of California.

“Health Centers expand access to quality health care for all people and contain health care costs by fostering prevention and integrating the delivery of primary care with outreach, patient education, translation and other enabling services.

“Health Centers have made great strides in the California health care system specifically by maintaining high standards of accountability, demonstrating costs effectiveness and efficiency in the delivery of care, and empowering communities to address unmet health needs, reduce health disparities, and reduce preventable deaths, costly disabilities, and communicable diseases.

“There is a continuing need to support implementation of Health Centers throughout the State of California as part of the California’s enduring commitment to the provision of quality primary health care.

“Health Centers promote 100% access and zero health disparities to help achieve health care for all people.”

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Therefore, on motion of Supervisor Burke, seconded by Supervisor Knabe, unanimously carried, the Board took the following actions:

1. Proclaimed August 5 through 11, 2007 as "National Health Center Week" throughout Los Angeles County and urged citizens to recognize the important contributions of Health Centers in safeguarding health and improving the quality of life for all people; and
2. Recognized the valued contributions of Health Centers in expanding access to health care and improving health care and the future well being of all people.

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